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Attorney Docket No. 21402-179 (CURA-479)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR Li *et al.*

OR APPLICATION

IDENTIFIER:

FOR: NOVEL HUMAN PROTEINS, POLYNUCLEOTIDES  
ENCODING THEM AND METHODS OF USING THE SAME

Box PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

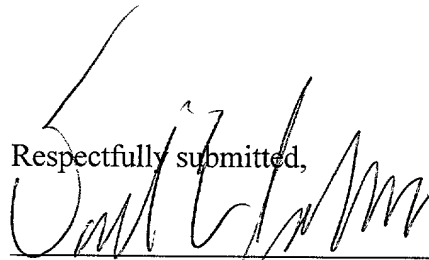
1. This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b). This application claims priority to U.S.S.N. 60/242,882 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-179), filed October 24, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/242,765 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-180), filed October 24, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/300,206 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-180A), filed June 22, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/242,789 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-181), filed October 24, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/242,768 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-182), filed October 24, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/242,767 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-183), filed October 24, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/243,622 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-184), filed October 26, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/273,047 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-184A), filed March 2, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/243,591 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-185), filed October 26, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/243,950 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-187), filed October 27, 2000; U.S.S.N. 60/316,509 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-187A), filed August 31, 2001; U.S.S.N. 60/243,593 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-188), filed October 26, 2000; and U.S.S.N. 60/243,502 (Attorney Ref.: 21402-190), filed October 26, 2000, each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety.
2. This application includes a total of 247 pages. The application includes 238 pages of specification (not including the claims or abstract pages); 8 pages of claims, and 1 page including the abstract.
3. A Declaration and Power of Attorney (unsigned) is enclosed.

4. Fees associated with this application have been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	41	- 20 =	21	\$ 18.00	378.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	4	- 3 =		\$84.00	84.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))				\$270.00	0
				SUBTOTAL:	\$1202.00
				TOTAL FEE:	\$1202.00

5. A check in the amount of **\$1202.00** in payment of filing fees for the application is enclosed.
6. The Commissioner is authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees due to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-179.
7. A return receipt postcard is enclosed.

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